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JOHNSON TAKEN ILL

Hattie Le Blanc's Chief Counsel Collapses in Court.

TRIAL MAY GO ON

Zella Gallant Tells of Prisoner's Statement to Police.

SHE CERTIFIES TO TRANSCRIPT

Mayor's Stenographer, Emily Bowers, Identifies Notes and Compares Them With Record.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., December 7 .-- | Melvin M. Johnson, chief counsel for i Hattie Le Blanc, was taken suddenly ill and collapsed in the courtroom to-

Arrangements were made to send him to Boston in an automobile for treatment by a specialist. It was thought

that the trial would go on.

Witness Brought From Canada. District Attorney John J. Higgins, who has led the prosecution in the trial of Hattie Le Blanc for the murder of Clarence F. Glover, came into the crowded courtroom today with a smile on his face for the first time since the trial began, eleven days ago, for he had succeeded finally in obtaining per-

girl's statements made to the police Until the closing hours of the trial yesterday the district attorney had seen a greater part of the essential elements of his case thrown out by the adverse rul-ings of the court. In addition, there has been an unusual amount of contradictory

mission to introduce as evidence the

evidence from his own witnesses. But he sent seven hundred miles, to Prince Edward Island, and brought back Miss Zella Gallant, a French Canadian nurse, who happened to be in Waltham at the time of the murder, and acted as the interpreter for the police in the ex-amination of Miss Le Blanc after the girl had been dragged from under a bed in the Glover house three days after the

Statement to Police.

With Miss Gallant on the scene, and the approval of the court to her evidence, the minutes of the examination of the defendant at the police station and her statements, which the district atto ney has been particularly eager to lay before the jury, were all available when court opened today.

Attorney Johnson, who has battled for his client both before and during the trial, did not seem to be cast down when he came into court, and was as eager and aggressive as before Judge Bond's adverse ruling to his client esterday. Mr. Johnson was reinforced at his table

by the French consul in Boston and a French stenographer. Knowing something of the language himself he was quite well prepared to follow Miss Gallant closely. The district attorney also had a French

Soon after the opening of court the de-fense scored its second important victory of the case. Judge Bond ruled that he would exclude from the statements made by the defendant at the Waltham police station the night of the arrest any and which made any reference to the alleged dying declaration of Glover that Hattie

fendant at the police station was: "Mr. Glover said before he died that you shot bim. Did you?" To this question Hattie

Miss Gallant's Testimony. Miss Gallant was the first witness call

ed today. She said that in 1908 and she was at the Waltham Hospital I mean." Training School for Nurses. She told of being called to the police station on the night of Hattie's arrest to act as interpreter. Hattie, she said, appeared greatly worried and frightened. District Attorney Higgins showed the witness the transcript of the questions and answers at the police station hear- had left her home in West Africhat, INTRODUCED IN SENATE ing. Miss Gallant said that, to the best C. B., when she was fifteen. She had of her remembrance, it was correct. . peared in Hattie's behalf?" asked Mr. Waltham, where she had lived ever since. Would Appropriate \$1,000,000 for

When asked what inducements were of said she stayed about the house in the fered her to return to Massachusetts, morning, and in the afternoon accom-Miss Gallant said that her fare and exenses were paid, and she was to receive witness fees. The expenses of her broth- from the game about 5 p.m. and went for er. John Gallant, who accompanied her, a short automobile ride. Supper folere also paid by the prosecution.

Stenographer Verifies Notes.

Miss Emily Bowers, stenographer of 6:40 o'clock. She went to the laundry. Mayor Walker of Waltham, followed That morning, when Mrs. Glover was Miss Gallant on the stand. She said that she had taken stenographic notes night. She was keeping the appointment. of the questions put to Hattie at the When she met Glover at the laundry, police station and the answers made, she said, he made improper proposals to through the interpreter.

She was shown a transcript of the dry, where he attacked her. questions and answers, and said that it was correct. She had with her the Glover grasped her by the throat and original notes, which she compared with choked her to make her stop crying. the transcript.

She testified that neither promises nor threats had been made to Hattie before the examination began. This was brought out by Mr. Higgins to He threatened to kill her if she told what show that the hearing at the police had occurred. third degree" examination. Several other witnesses who were at

the police station examination followed Miss Bowers. Chief of Police McKenna said that Hattle was not threatened or intimidated, nor was she offered any inducements to make her talk. Mayor Walker of Waltham described

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good work or pleasant times. Whoever has disrees after eating, sick headaches, nauses, bad



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est Mills brand; consisting of vests

with high necks and long sleeves and pants with French bands...... 75C

Hattie's appearance at the hearing, say-

against a wall. If you know how such

that had flown in through a window and

a bird looks, you will understand what

Statement Read in Court.

District Attorney Higgins read to the

According to this statement Hattie said

she was sixteen years old, and that she

gone directly to Mrs. Glover's home, in

Describing her movements November 2),

1900, the day of the murder of Glover, she

panied the Glovers to a foot ball game at

It was about 7:15 o'clock when she left

the house, Glover having departed at

upstairs in the house, Glover had asked

her to meet him in the laundry that

her, which she rejected. He then grabbed

Threatened to Kill Her.

Glover had a revolver in his hand at th

time, but she never touched the revolver.

Breaking away from Glover she ran

heard only one shot, she maintained, and

When she reached the foot of the stairs

She was asked if she had tried to shoot

Glover during the struggle. She replied

Collapse of Johnson.

ing the statement Melvin M. Johnson,

As District Attorney Higgins was read- years.

ton by automobile for treatment by a ficiary.

im, because she had no weapon.

at the Waltham police station.

JUDGE DE LACY'S REPORT.

Shown by Records of His Court.

port their wives and minor children,

A decrease in juvenile delinquency, as

shown by the records of the District Ju-

thought that he had shot himself.

bed in the guest chamber.

tom of the stairs she heard a shot. She titled.

her and dragged her upstairs in the laun

After the assault she began to

the Harvard stadium. They returned IS PLAN OF EDMUND J. JAMES

down the stairs. As she reached the bot- to which the benefiting states were en-

She remained there until she was dis- States commissioner of education and

The court allowed A. Farley Brewer of ator Gallinger made it clear that he was

Boston and Nathaniel Tufts of Waltham, acting on a request of an outsider. Pa-

associate counsel for the Le Blanc girl, pers filed with the bill show that its

to proceed with the case. The district author is Edmund J. James, president of

of the statements made by the defendant | President James was active in opposi-

Decrease in Juvenile Delinquency raised against the George Washington

Judge De Lacy shows that there were poses of the people of the District, but

3.187 cases, in which children were di-because, owing to its location and con-rectly involved, before the court during because, owing to its location and con-

the year, and points out that this is 144 sequent intimate connection with the De-

attorney then resumed his presentation the University of Illinois.

most of them charged with failing to sup- in its respective field.

court Hattie's statement at the police

station examination.

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Tea Strainers, Dinner Cups and Saucers, Hair
Receivers, Pickle and Olive Dishes, Spoon
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Scarfs in a dozen artistic patterns,

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Coats, rich, lustrous quality, in dou-Coats, rich, lustrous the ble-breasted style, with roll collar and cuffs \$5.00

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sizes 2 to 6 years.....

ed with roll collars and

sizes 2 to 6 years.....

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Bill to Secure Morrill Act Bene-

fits for Washington.

Site and Buildings.

President of University of Illinois

Suggests Administration by

Board of Twelve Trustees.

colleges to the District of Columbia.

laws, for each senator and representative body.

Board of Twelve Trustees.

the door was locked. She went out through a window, going directly to the Glover home, where she hid under the The Secretary of Agriculture, the United Church Officials

The proposed college under the terms

The Secretary of Agriculture, the United

chief counsel for the defense, was seized the Morrill act should be amended to Glover Eddy, founder of the Christian

with a sudden attack of illness and col- include the District of Columbia in its Science Church, arrived today to attend

lapsed. He was removed to the attor- benefits. The George Washington Uni- the funeral of his mother tomorrow. Mr.

ney's room and later was taken to Bos- versity was named as the specific bene- Glover was accompanied by his daughter,

In presenting the present measure Sen-

tion to the measure now pending before

the Senate extending the benefits of the

Morrill land act to the George Washing-

ton University. In a letter to Senator

Gallinger Mr. James suggests that this bill is free from objections which were

Statement of President James.

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persuade Congress to accept some such

he bill which would give George

Washington University the benefits of the Morrill land acts. It was referred

to the Senate committee on agriculture.

restigation that committee reported the

gress. The measure which Senator Gallinger introduced today was re-

ferred to the committee which he

Christian Science Leader to

Be Buried Tomorrow in

Mount Auburn Cemetery.

Three lots, the only ones remaining

Lowell and Oliver Wendell Holmes, while

many other names famous in American

letters and professional life may be read

Church Officials to Attend.

Mary Baker Glover, and his son, George

OFFICIALS' VIEWS HEARD.

Telegraph and Telephone Companies

as Common Carriers.

Anything Lost?

The Lost "ad" rate in The Star is only

The establishment of a federal college BOSTON, December 7 .- The north shore

District of Columbia is proposed in a bil of water in an exclusive section of Mount

The running expenses are to be paid come the last resting place of Mary Baker

out of the public Treasury, by an exten- Glover Eddy, founder and late head of

An appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the the circle about the lake, have been pur-

purchase of a site for the college and the chased by the friends of Mrs. Eddy

This is to take the place of the 30,000 made at once and work begun in the

acres of land, provided in the original spring on a suitable tomb to contain the

It was proposed at the last session that George Washington Glover of Lead, S.

W. Glover, ir.

sion of the Morrill act for the benefit of the Christian Science Church.

which Senator Gallinger introduced today. Auburn cemetery, in Cambridge, will be-

heads-the District committee.

bill for the favorable action of Con-

roposition as this."

Senator Gallinger was sponsor for

After numerous hearings and much in- Gov. Sloan's Criticism Arizona's Constitution.

TALKS WITH PRESIDENT

of Instrument Framed by Con-ON SHORE OF LAKE vention-Other Callers.

> Gov. Sloan of Arizona thinks that the new constitution for the proposed state of Arizona is the worst hodge-podge of eccentricities and peculiarities ever turned objection to Charles E. Hughes for Chief out, and he is going back to the territory Justice. to begin a fight against its ratification

by the people. Gov. Sloan called on the President today and told him of the work that has of agriculture and mechanic arts in the of Halcyon lake, a beautiful little sheet been done by the constitutional convention, which is to adjourn today. The constitution adopted by it will be submitted to the people in an election within sixty days. If it is adopted as it stands President Taft might not approve it, thereby preventing the state from coming

erection of suitable buildings is provided. charged with that duty, and plans will be stripped of alleged curiosities. "There has been a big change in sentiment since the delegates to the convention were elected," said Gov. Sloan, "and I am confident that the proposed con-The site is in the north corner of the stitution will be badly defeated at the polls. It is about the worst affair ever cemetery. Directly across the little lake turned out and is objectionable to all may be seen the tombs of James Russell classes.

Bates Was Not Beaten.

Representative Bates of Tennessee proudly passed Lame Duck alley when he was waiting to see President Taft to-The funeral services for Mrs. Eddy will day. He went into the President's ofcovered on the night of the following the chairman of the board of District be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning fices, and the first thing the chief ex-Tuesday. During the time she was under the chief extraction of the chief extra mediate members of the Glover family sorry you were beaten. You have been and the Chestnut Hill household, leading a valuable man in Congress and should Three of the others are to be appointed officials of the church and possibly a few have been returned." that she did not and could not have shot by the House, three by the Senate and newspaper men will be present. After a three by the President. These nine are brief service the body will be taken to three by the President. These nine are brief service the body will be taken to ful looking Bates, "I was re-elected, and on arrearages of general taxes levied were spoken, three crashing volleys jam—but because it means a betterment to serve for six years, but one-third of the general receiving tomb, to remain unto serve for six years, but one-third of the general receiving tomb, to remain unto serve for six years, but one-third of the general receiving tomb, to remain unto serve for six years, but one-third of the general receiving tomb, to remain unother the impression has gone around other the impression has gone around introduced today by Senator Gallinger "the taps" and again the minute guns them must be appointed every two til the mausoleum is erected on Halcyon that I was licked, and I have received introduced today by Senator Gallinger took up their iterated count. many condolences. Mr. Bates urged the President to pro-imittee. mote Col. George K. McGunigle of the 1st | The District officials hope to collect

Infantry, U. S. A., to brigadier general. Representative Slemp, who was re-elected in the ninth Virginia district, by a a measure. In a letter to the chairman Merritt, were Thomas Merritt, a brother; narrow majority, saw the President and of the Senate District committee they of a Virginian upon the Court of Com-The board of managers of the national soldiers' homes, in session in this city,

paid a call of courtesy upon the President. Painting of Mrs. Taft. The green room of the White House

With a view to reaching a satisfaccontains the large painting of Mrs. Taft ory determination of the application of made during the summer at Beverly by the present interstate commerce act to B. Kronstrand of the Royal Societies session of the House of Representatives Gen. Merritt was a prominent member of Club of London. The painting is con- to have a change made in the Payne interstate commerce commission today gave a hearing to officials of telegraph sidered a most excellent one of the first tariff law was by the introduction toand telephone companies, which, by lady of the land, and is satisfactory to day by Representative Sulzer of New terms of the law, are made common President and Mrs. Taft. It is likely to York of a bill "to repeal the duty on become the official painting of Mrs. Taft, become the official painting of Mrs. Taft It was not the purpose of the com- to be hung upon the walls of the White meats and cattle." venile Court for the year ended June 30 satisfaction in the country at the crea- mission to determine the status of any House, along with the paintings of the All meats and all cattle imported for these organs in good these organs in good the last, is shown by its annual report, which tion of such an institution in the Distance a discussion of the meaning and reached Washington from New York, free list by the bill. President Taft submitted to the Senate trict of Columbia," said President James, application of the law to the new com- where it was completed a few days ago.

Boomed for Supreme Judge. tation of lawyers from that state to the the free list."

of Delaware for appointment to the Su-President promised to consider Judge Bradford's name.

La Follette Writes; Does Not Call. Senator La Follette of Wisconsin preferred not to call at the White House upon receiving an invitation to uo so, but he dictated a letter to the President. He taken that attitude.

Senator Cummins was summoned to the White House yesterday afternoon and conferred with the President an hour regarding the Supreme Court appointments. he President furnished him with a list State Executive to Oppose Adoption of those now under consideration for the place, and the Iowa senator has taken up the list with the other insurgent senators. Mr. Cummins said that he made objection to some of those on the list. but as to others he knew little and would sideration to all the names. It is understood the insurgents make no

Senator La Follette's Letter.

The letter of Senator La Follette is as "Dear Mr. President: I have a letter

ertain judicial appointments. "The one suggestion I would offer is that, in view of present conditions, only such men should be selected as will be certain to construe the Constitution and he law with due regard to the interests into the union until its constitution is of the people, eliminating from considera- 5 o'clock and pitch dark when the body neck pieces; warm fluffy knit slippers for tion those whose legislative or judicial records show them biased toward special interests or whose legal connection would tend to prejudice their minds in favor of such interests.

"I may properly add that I shall support your administration whenever I can do so consistently, and I shall oppose your recommendations only when I find it necessary so to do in accordance with my convictions of public duty. Respectfully yours. "ROBERT M. LA FOLLE, TE."

REDUCING INTEREST CHARGES. Bill Introduced in Senate.

"But, Mr. President," said the sorrow-interest charges by half to be collected place, the words of the burial service for it isn't a patch on the last-minute and referred to the Senate District com-

> several hundred thousand dollars in back taxes as a result of the passage of such ington in the special car, besides Mrs.

SULZER FOR FREE MEAT. Bill Introduced Also Removes Tariff

on Cattle.

The first effort made in the present

Senator du Pont and Representative in the United States," said Mr. Sulzer, street northwest. Heald of Delaware accompanied a depu- "it seems that all meats should be on of 6 per cent. There were 555 adult of ernment departments, it would doubtless charge inteen cents. Most people are White House today to ask the President a hearing on the bill before the ways volved in the taking of the property, they He declared he would endeavor to get regard to salary, and the question incan if they know who the owner is. Be to consider the name of Judge Edward and means committee as soon as pos- think, is one for the civil, and not the G. Bradford of the federal district court sible.

GEN. MERRITT IS BURIED | SANTA CLAUS IS IN TOWN. WITH MILITARY HONORS

Placed Beside That of His Wife.

WEST POINT, N. Y., December 7 .--Maj. Gen. Wesley Merritt, U. S. A., retired, twenty-first superintendent of the always room for more. Everything that United States Military Academy, was is beautiful or useful for gift-making is but as to others he knew little and would buried last night by lamplight with the ready for the purchaser, and the smiling the President will withhold the nomina- military honors of his rank. His body clerks are alert. tions until the insurgents have given con- was laid beside that of his first wife in Nature, too, is in joyous sympathy with the military reservation cemetery here.

special car bringing the body from Wash- big factors in the success of the day. ington was delayed by the storm and the that it was felt wisest to curtail the cere- other sections that appeal to grown folks. monies. Officers who have attended every There are furs of every destrable pelt and from your secretary, Mr. Norton, stating military funeral within the last thirty color and style; jewelry counters with that you would like to discuss with me years could recall no other held by lamp-

Funeral Car Delayed.

The funeral car missed its connection brought it on to West Point. It was after and lawn made into the most captivating arrived, and nearly 6 when the full parade formed opposite the academy. The wind was as a knife, and as it cut

across the level sweep of the drill grounds! drove the powdered snow in stinging flurries. As the regulations provide, the thing under the sun to tempt one's purse fife and drum corps, followed by the full -a temptation that one gladly yields to cadet corps, fell in at the front on the because of the happiness the gift will appearance of the coffin. The fifers' breath froze on their instruments as they shrilled the slow measures of the dead friends wherever the holidays may find march Behind them clanked the escort- them. And the beauty of it all is that ng battery. Then came the coffin, draped in the na-

tional colors, followed by the pallbearers, mourners and attending civilians. As the long procession moved through the dark. It is a good-natured crowd-just big cession to the grave, and there, while the with no danger to one's toes or temper. The Commissioners' bill to reduce the mourners stood bareheaded in the snow, and the managers of the big stores are took up their iterated count.

Post Chaplain Officiates. Among those who came on from Wash-

will call upon him later about the naming point out that a similar measure passed Mrs. Norman Williams, mother of the court dropped dead at the Hermitage several years ago was followed by the widow; Mrs. J. O. Chance, sister of the Hotel here this morning. payment of half a million in back taxes. general; M. O. Chance, W. W. Chance, G. F. Chance and A. D. Merritt, nephews. and Maj. Swift. The post chaplain, Edward S. Travers, officiated at the funeral. As a mark of respect to Maj. Gen. Wes-ley Merritt, U. S. A., retired, whose

death occurred recently, the flag on the Metropolitan clubhouse was kept at halfmast until after the funeral yesterday.

Charged With Grand Larceny. Frank A. Boernstein of 709 I street and

Frederick Gooch, 1004 E street northwest, were arrested today by Detectives Burlingame and Weedon and held to answer a charge of grand larceny. It is "In view of the fact that the 'meat alleged that they took a picture prachine trust' is selling meat cheaper by from and several rolls of pictures belonging 8 to 15 cents a pound in London than to the Capital Film Company, 495 11th The defendants state that they experi-

criminal, courts to solve.

enced trouble with their employers in

ALONG WITH HIS RIVALS

is the only insurgent senator who has Services by Lamplight, Body Holiday Shoppers Who Visit Stores Now Will Find Wonderful Array.

> This is early shopping day. The stores are crowded, but there is

the anti-Christmas-eve-last-rush-crusade There was no service in the chapel of and her smiling sky and warm sunshine the academy, as had been planned. The never mind about that snowstorm-are Santa Claus reigns supreme, but be is hour was so late and the weather so cold not without rivals. The toy department

of each of the big stores is challenged by last-minute designs displayed in gold and sliver and the new oxidized metals that serve as settings for glowing stones; there are silk waists and embroidered flannels packed in dainty boxes and dress patterns of every tint and weave, belis and newest buckles; dressy bits of laclounging and dainty, dressy styles for the

Gifts of All Grades. There are-well, there's about every-

bring to loved ones at home or to their everything is worth the money it costs. Merry, Good-Natured Crowd.

tomer, a happier Christmas eve.

Justice W. D. Beard Drops Dead. NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 7 .- Jus-

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